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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION I

MEMORANDUM

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SUBJ: New Bedford Community Relations & COE final proposal

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Debra Prybyla, Kate Conley and I met with Al Randall and NED's public affairs officer to develop our strategy for public presentation of the Corps' proposal. We plan to release a package including a press release, an executive summary and explanation of the proposal, and the proposal itself. A public meeting will be held shortly thereafter with an EPA moderator (Mel, if available) and a minimum of speakers from EPA and the Corps. A tentative schedule is as follows:

October 1: Release proposal package October 16: Public Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

A copy of the final Corps proposal, received 9/10/85, is attached. Obviously, the above schedule depends on EPA's final approval of the proposal in the next few weeks and the resolution of project management issues. Please let me know if you have any questions or suggestions.

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